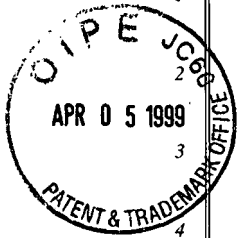


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Page 7, line 4, change ". 14" to --14--.